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USE OF FLU	ORESCENT MOLECULAR B NUC	BEACONS IN THE DETECTION CLEIC ACIDS	ON OF METHYI	ATED
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Prior Foreign Application(s)		Date Filed	Priority Claimed	
PP8448	Australia	1 February 1999	[X]	[ ] No
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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1.

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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1.	PCT/AU00/00053	1 February 2000	pending

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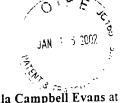
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